Unexpected Debate in the Reichsrath-Can Countess Sophie Chotek-A Love Match.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. BUDAPEST, Oct. 31.-There was strong and nunciation on behalf of his wife and possible children of all claims to the throne of Austria-Hungary when he married Countess Sophia Chotek a short time ago. The matter was ceenly debated in the Reichsrath to-day. The opposition contended that the Hapsburgs household laws could not overrule the Hungarian Constitution, and that Hungary, disregarding the household laws, would insist that the that her children should be entitled to the suc-

It was in vain that Prime Minister de Szell explained the household laws of the Hapsburgs and reminded his hearers that they were well selves. He also disputes the statement that known to everybody. His declaration, which he said he made with sincere regret, that whatever happened Countess Chotek could never | declares that if the statement were true an be Queen of Hungary, raised a tremendous sumult, the members of the Opposition vigorously shouting: "She shall be Queen!"

After the noise had subsided the Prime Min-"When the Archduke ascends the throne of his fathers the nations will accord to Countess Chotek the devotion and respect due the wife of the King of Hungary, but it will never accord her the rights of a Queen of Hun- population. gary. Nothing on earth can remove the obstacles in the way. The Archduke married the Countess after full consideration. He knew the consequences of his marriage and will abide by them."

The debate was not finished, but the Prime Minister's speech impressed the members of the House, and it is expected that a bill embodying Archduke Franz Ferdinand's dec-

The oath taken by the Archduke is to the effect that he accepts for himself, his future wife and his descendants all the legal consequences of the morganatic marriage—that is, his morganatically wedded wife has no right to claim the privileges and rights of his birth and position, nor have any children born of the marriage. If he succeeds to the throne he will not make his wife Empress of Austria or Queen of Hungary, and he will not give his children the rights and position of members of the Imperial house.

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Countess Sophie Chotek comes of a very old Bohemian family, which has never been wealthy or influential, but has always faithfully served the reigning house. The branch from which she descends is quite poor. Her father was Governor in Bohemia, and died four years ago; her mother, a Countess Kinsky, fourteen years

It is stated that the Archduke was so much in love with the Counters that he at one time considered seriously a renunciation of the throne in order to wed her.

"HEROD" A GREAT PLAY.

Magnificent Production at Her Majesty's Theatre of Stephen Phillips's Tragedy. Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN.

LONDON, Oct. 31 - What must rank as the ost magnificent stage production ever seen in London was given at Her Majesty's Theatre to-night. This was Stephen Phillips's historical play, "Herod." It is a grim and gloomy. but also a great play, and Mr. Beerbohm Tree's presentation of it was so imposing and en-thralling that to-night's performance becomes an event of the first magnitude in dramatic

No new play was ever awaited with greater public interest, and had Her Majesty's Theatre been ten times its size it would have been thronged. The house was filled with the most brilliant audience that London could assemble. They witnessed a tragedy, great and terrible, given in a setting grander and more sumptuous than anything on the modern The hero is Herod the Great, who died the

year Christ was born. The play deals chierly with his execution of Aristobulus, brother of Mariamne, his queen, his jealous condemnation of Martamne herself, and his subsequent remorse and other horrors, portrayed in blank verse so powerfully that they were oppressive and appalling. They were acted with no less power amid the splendors of a single scene representing the Palace in Jerusalem.

a great artist, but gains a place among the great tragedians of his day. Miss Maud Jeffries and Miss Eleanor Calhoun won the other honors of the piece.

OUTBREAK IN CATALONIA.

Carlists Deny Responsibility-Troops Pursuing the Insurgents. Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN.

vigorously with what is described as a Carlist outbreak in Catalonia. An armed band of soc en who had assembled at Berga, fifty-one miles northwest of Barcelona, are being pursued by troops. Communication between Berga and Barcelona has been stopped. Other bands are being hunted by the military. The Government has concentrated troops at Madrid, Saragossa and Valencia, and is ready to despatch them to Catalonia if their services are needed in that province. Prominent Carlists here declare that the

outbreak is not a Carlist movement, but is the work of irresponsible agitators. They say that the Carlists will make no move unless they

It is now certain that the Carlists repudi-

ation in connection with the trouble is not genuine and that the uprising is not part of the purely Catalonian separatist movement, which the recent industrial crisis and its attendant distress have rendered more active. It is no secret that the Cata onians want autonomy. They regard the Madrid Government as being about as bad as it can be, and believe it to be responsible to-day presented to "Aunt Jemima," the cook for the fiscal burdens under which the country groans. These are all the more keenly felt since Spain lost her colonies and oversea trade Barcelona was thereby crippled, if not ruined. of workmen are unemployed and there is gen-

The Cabinet is represented as being gravely anxious concerning the situation, although at a meeting of the Ministers this evening Gen. Linares, Minister of War, declared that he was easily able to crush the movement, which, he

MESHIP INVENTOR NEEDS FUNDS Opinion in Berlin That the Government Should

Aid Count Zeppelin. secial Cable Despatch to THE SUN Berlin, Oct. 31.-Owing to Count Zeppes lin's statement that the exhaustion of his funds with his airship, the opinion is growing that he Imperial Government ought to grant him subsidy, the recent trials having shown that successful air travel is now neater achievement han ever before, and that the comparatively small sum that is recessary to complete the experiments right have the most practical

DOWLE DODGED THE DEBATE.

Laglish Committee Ready to Meet Him but

National Research Society, which a few days go accepted the challenge of "Zienist" Dowie "THE SUN" AS A REAL ESTATE ADa meet hara in debate on his doctrine of divine healing, appeared at the appointed place

of meeting this afternoon, but Dowie did not It is understood that Dowie will leave Eng-

land on Nev. 1.

Aguinaldo's Representative in Europe Issues a Campaign Appeal.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN.

Paris, Oct. 31 — Senor Agoncillo, Aguinaldo' epresentative in Europe, has issued an appeal Have No Effect Because of the Oath Taken to the American people. Remarking upon at the Time of the Morganatic Marriage to the approach of the Presidential election. he appeals to the United States to remember terms of the Declaration Independence, especially the passage affirmearnest opposition by a section of the Hun- ing that governments derive their just powers garians to Archduke Franz Ferdinand's re- from the consent of the governed. He dec'ares that although the war in the Philippines is everywhere causing material and moral damage it will last until the Filipinos have gained their independence. The Filipinos, he adds are now behaving toward the United States as the United States once behaved toward England. He | contends that the war is prejudicial to the United States because nobody is able to foretell when it will end. Even if the Americans wife of Franz Ferdinand, the heir to the dual | triumph, peace will be merely temporary, and throne, should be Hungary's future queen and | the United States will be compelled to maintain a strong army in the Philippines.

Agoncillo protests against President McKinley's assertion in accepting renomination that the Filipinos are incapable of governing thema great majority of the Filipinos would accept American sovereignty with pleasure, and armistice should be declared and the desires of the Filipinos ascertained by a plebiscite. Then those desires should be loyally respected. He repeats that the idea and sentiment of independence are ingrained in the hearts of the Filipinos, and declares that it would have been impossible to have continued the revolt so long without the sympathy of the entire

BOTHA CONFERS WITH BRITISH. Boer Commander-in-Chief Meets Gen. Paget's

Intelligence Officer. Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN

From a Staff Correspondent. PRETORIA, via De Aar, Cape Colony, Oct. 31—The intelligence officer attached to Gen. Paget's command had a conference with Gen. Botha, the Boer Commander-in-Chief, on Friday, Oct. 28. The result of the conference is not known. It is estimated that Gens. Botha, Grobler and Erasmus have 5,000 men and three guns, one of the latter being a 40-pounder There are evidences that the Boers are run-

ning short of ammunition. The bandollers of some burghers recently captured are only half lled with cartridges Sniping by the Boers continues at various points. The other day a railroad pioneer was shot within three miles of Johannesburg.

Col. Pilkington of the West Australians has been appointed to the command of the Cape police to succeed Col. Masel. There is to be a grand review of the troops here on Thursday, Nov 1. The Guards Brigade will return from Wonderboven to take

part in the ceremonies. The Concessions Commission is taking further testimony regarding the dynamite monopoly. The President, Gen. Lyttleton, continued his cross-examination of Mr. Vorstmann. who was the Government agent for the monopoly, regarding his efforts at promoting it and the number of shares given to Dr. Gohert and

On Tuesday he told the commission that the managing director of the company approved the expenditure of Secret Service money for

"Sammy" Marks, who at one time controlled the spirits license monopoly and was reported

CAPE Town, Oct. 31 .- A force of 200 Boers attacked the Cape police pickets at Palmietfontein yesterday afternoon. After two hours' fighting the Boers retired, but maintained a running fight for some distance along the north bank of the Orange River. One policeman was wounded. The Boer casualities he notified the elevator man and then ran out. The boy's testimony closed the hearing for the day.

of \$1,000 for the discovery of the authors of the recent outrages at Fraserburg.

ANOTHER BOER TREK? Report That Botha Is Headed for the West Coast of Africa.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN PRETORIA, Oct. 31.—It is reported that Gen. Botha, with a strong force, is marching to the Kenhardt district, in Cape Colony, from which a new trek is contemplated by the Boers.

Boers Driven Out of Ventersburg. Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN.

Loxpox, Oct. 31.—The War Office has received. the following despatch from Lord Roberts, dated at Johannesburg, Oct. 30: "In conse-quence of numerous attacks on the railway, with slight opposition. Major Hanwell was

Silver Medal for "Aunt Jemima." Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN.

PARIS, Oct. 31 -- Mr. F. W. Peck, the American Commissioner-General to the Exposition, at the American Indian corn kitchen, a handsome silver medal in recognition of her efficient crvices. There was a large and representative gathering of Americans present. In receiving the medal "Aunt Jemima" made a speech which was enthusiastically applauded.

LONDON, Oct. 30 - The Anchor Line steamship Ancheria is aground at Cardross on the Clyde, three miles by rail from Dumbarton. It is expected that she will be floated at high tide.

WARDEN SAGE'S DAUGHTER MARRIED To Henry Roberts of Utics at Her Father's

Mary Alice Sage, a daughter of Omar V. Sage, formerly warden of Sing Sing prison, and now superintendent of the House of Refuge on Supt. Saze's rooms. The bride wore a white tulle yell trimined

William O'Brien, a young bookkeeper of 204

West 134 h street used too much laudanum in pursing a sore tooth yesterday at 304 Bowery And announce d to the proprietor of the lodging house keeper that he was "sinking." The warchman marched him up and down the fl. or until an ambulance came, in which he was t ken to St Vincent's Hospital. He had swallowed too much to kill him.

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BRYAN DOCUMENT FROM AGONCILLO. NOT ONE BODY FOUND YET:

LIST OF MISSING IN THE TARRANT FIRE FURTHER REDUCED. Now There Are 21 Persons Unaccounted For

-What Was First Supposed to Be Parts of Two Bodies Trens Out to Be Melted Gelatine, Cardy and Charred Wood. Workmen toiled hard all day yesterday and all last night clearing away the ruins caused by the fire that started in Tarrant's drug house Up to 1:30 o'clock this morning no bodies had been found, and the fragments previously discovered and thought to be parts of two bodies proved to be only masses of melted gelatine and candy and pieces of charred wood.

Of the twenty-eight persons reported as miss ing in THE SUN yesterday eight have been accounted for as safe and uninjured, and one name has been added to the missing list at the Leonard street police station. It was that of Guy Lindsley, 25 years old, a waiter employed in the Home Made Hotel. The number of persons now missing is twenty-one Mrs. Ella M. Cable of 280 St. Nicholas avenue

whohad been reported as missing by her brother Dr. John Husson, of the same address, returned to her home yesterday morning. She had been visiting a friend in West Chester since Monnoon. On Monday morning, the day of the fire she went to see her brother-in-law, John Rudd, at his place of business, 84 Hud on street, not far from the scene of the disaster. Dr. Husson knew that she was going there, but did not know that she was going to West Chester, and when she did not come home on Monday night he feared that she was one of the fire victims.

The other seven persons reported safe yesterday are: Francis Barnes and Ira C. Barnes of Summit, N. J., William Halsey, Herkimer street near New York avenue, Brooklyn: Joseph Netalle of Jersey City: Kate Smith, First street, Jersey City: Lawrence Tange of 224 East Tenth street, and Mollie Golden, said to live at 330 East 100th street, but who is not known at that

Fragments of what were supposed to be human bodies were taken from the ruins on the Warren street side late on Tuesday night and early yesterday morning, and it was officially recorded on the police blotter that the removal of the dead had begun. A temporary morgue had been established in the basement of the Irving National Bank and several pine coffins sent there to be ready when victims of the explosion were found. The fragments were put in one of the coffins and sent to the Morgue at the foot of East Twenty-sixth street. There they were examined by Morgue Keeper Jackson. He found seven bundles wrapped in newspapers and each bundle labelled.

The largest bundle was marked as the trunk of a body, but when opened and examined was found to contain a mass of molten capsules, wood, cloth and gum. The other bundles were made up of much the same material. In none was there any part of a human body. One package was marked, "the head of a woman." It contained a large chunk of "Broadway taffy," a sticky candy which the Turks sell on the street, apping it off with a little hammer. The ackage labelled "skull of a woman" was a mass of meited rock candy that had assumed somewhat the shape of a skull. Another was supposed to be the bone of a human leg, but was only a charred broomstick. The entire mass of unidentified sundries was placed in a side room at the Morgue, and the keeper says that he owners can have them without proving property. A crowd of undertakers who had gathered in front of the Morgue door with the received a quarter interest in the Transval officials, received a quarter interest in the Transval dynamite monopoly, of which Mr. Lippert was the concessionaire. This interest in the monopoly yielded Mr. Marks £10,000 a year.

Mr. Vorstmann testified that he paid nothing to the Krüger Government for its influence, but that he paid £300 to Mr. Polyister, a former burgomaster, and £300 to Mr. De Boer, a member of the Volksraad.

The report of the accountant, which was submitted to the commission, showed that 20,000 soft-nosed expanding builets were exported from Great Britain by Nobel, of Glasgow, in September, 1899, and were sold to the late Transvaal Government in May of this year.

TWO-HOUR FIGHT WITH BOERS.

An Attack on the Cape Police Pickets at Palmietfontein.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN.

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of potash stored with Tarrant & Co., and E.
D. Congdon of the Harshaw, Fuller & Goodwin Company said that his firm had about a
ton of sulphur in the wrecked building. "Mr.
Congdon scouted the idea that an explosion
could occur from chlorate of potash and sulphur
stored in the same building. He said that
potash was in kegs containing from no to 112
pounds each and the sulpher was in barrels.
"To produce an explosion from these two substances," said Mr. Congdon, "they must be
thoroughly mixed and then some sort of a concussion is necessary."
It was also learned that the Schoellkopf,
Hartford & Hanna Company of no William
street stored large quantities of volatile oils
with Tarrant & Co. Four from drums containing a clear yellowish white substance were
found on the Greenwich street side of the ruins
vesterday morning. It was thought that they
contained maphtha or a preparation of nanhtha.
A representative of Tarrant & Co. said hathought
the drums had been stored by the Schoellkopf,
Hartford & Hanna Company. Samples of the
liquid were sent to the chemical department
of the Beard of Health for analysis

The New York Board of Fire Underwriters
held a meeting yesterday afternoon to discuss
the fire. It was behind closed doors. When
it was over one of those who attended it said:
"In the classification of risks chlorate of potash
when stored with other merchandise is classed
as "specially hazardous." That means that
unless all of the policies of Tarrant & Co. on
stock, building and fixtures contained a permit
to store chlorate of potash they are invalid."

Another insurance man said he didn't believe
Tarrant & Co. 's polices contained such permits. On top of this Supt Murray of the Bureau of Combustibles gave out the following
statement:

"Persons who stored explosives in that
building probably beught explosives in large

rement:

"Persons who stored explosives in that building probably bought explosives in large quantities so that they might get a great reduction in the price. It is against the regulations of the Fire Department to allow any firm to so occupy floors in any building without notifying us. The city has a warehouse in Frie Basin. It is subdivided for the storage of chlorates and phosphates. There is no reason why persons whose storeroom is over-crowded should not use this warehouse for storing such chemicals instead of endangering lives and property by placing the goods in res and property by placing the goods in

ORCHESTRA LEADER KILLED. Warrants Out for the Arrest of the Players

A Quarrel Over Receipts. PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 31 -- Warrants are out or the arrest of five Swedish musicians, charged with the murder of John Johnson, the leader ith the murder of John Johnson, the leader of their orchestra. The men played it a Swedish wedding near Homestead of Oct. 23 Johnson passed the hat among the 200 guests and got \$50. He gave the layers wanted a new division of the money, and when Johnson refused they attacked him, le was found in a senseless condition and died onight without recovering consciousness.

Navy Yard Notes.

The battleship K-arsarge went into dry dock at the navy yard in Brooklyn vesterday to be Southern cruise.

The torpedo boats Gwin and Talbot came out of dry dock yesterday.

The Government tus Wampatuck is being made ready to sail for Manila.

Choked to Death by Toy Whistle.

WEST ORANGE, N. J., Oct. 31 - Harry Putnam. it years old, whose father keeps a grocery store in this town, was strangled to death last night by swallowing a toy balloon whistle.

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THE ANGLO-GERMAN AGREEMENT. Text of Secretary Hay's Reply to the British

and German Ambassadors. WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.-The Department of State this morning made public the corre Many Independents Placed in the Field Yes spondence with Lord Pauncefote upon the subject of the agreement between Germany and

Great Britain, in regard to their mutual policy in China, under date of Oct. 16, 1900. Lord Pauncefote's letter to Secretary Hay "NEWPORT, R. I., Oct. 23, 1900.

"Sin: In pursuance of instructions which have received from her Majesty's principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, I have the honor to communicate to you the text of an agreement between Great Britain and Germany relating to the present trouble in China, which was signed in London on the 16th inst. by the Marquis of Salisbury and the German Ambassador, on behalf of their respective Governments, and to invite the acceptance by the United States of the hard agreement. I have, &c., "PAUNCEFOTE." United States of the principles recorded in

Lord Pauncefote then quotes the text of the greement. Secretary Hay replied as follows:

"DEPARTMENT OF STATE. WASHINGTON, Oct. 29, 1900."
"Excellency: I have the honor to acknowledge." dge the receipt of your note of the 23d of October, inclosing the text of an agreement between Great Britain and Germany relating to affairs in China, which was signed in London on the 16th inst. by the Marquis of Salisbury and the German Ambassador on behalf of their respective Governments, and inviting the acceptance by the United States of the principles recorded in that agreement. These principles

"(1.) It is a matter of joint and permanent international interest that the ports on the rivers and littoral of China should remain free and open to trade and to every other legiti-mate form of economic activity for the nationals of all countries without distinction, and the two Governments agree on their part to up-hold the same for all Chinese territory so far as they can exercise influence.

hold the same for all Chinese territory so far as they can exercise influence.

"(2) Her Britannic Majesty's Government and the Imperial German Government will not on their part make use of the present complication to obtain for themselves any territorial advantages in Chinese dominions and will direct their policy toward maintaining undiminished the territorial condition of the Chinese Empire. undiminished the territorial condition of the Chinese Empire.

The United States have heretofere made known their adoption of both these principles. During the last year this Government invited the Powers interested in China to join in an expression of views and purposes in the direction of impartial trade with that country and received satisfactory assurances to that effect from all of them.

received satisfactory assurances to that effect from all of them.

When the recent troubles were at their height this Government, on the 3d of July, once more made an announcement of its policy regarding impartial trade and the integrity of the Chinese Empire and had the gratification of learning that all the Powers held similar views. And since that time the most gratifying harmony has existed among all the nations concerned as to the ends to be pursued, and there has been little divergence of opinion as to the details of the course to be followed.

"It is therefore with much satisfaction that the President directs me to inform you of the full sympathy of this Government with those of her Britannic Majesty and the German Emperor in the principles set forth in the clauses of the agreement above cited.

"The third clause of the agreement provides:

"(3) In case of another Power making use of the complications in China in order to obtain under any form whatever such territorial advantages, the two contracting parties reserve to themselves to come to a preliminary universtanding as to the eventual steps to be

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taken for the protection of their own interests in China.'
"As this clause refers to a reciprocal arrangement between the two high contracting Powers, the Government of the United States does not regard itself as called upon to express an opinion in respect to it. I have, &c., John Hay."
A similar note was addressed on the same day by the Secretary of State to the Imperial German Chargé d'Affaires.

The French Reply.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN LONDON, Oct. 31 - A news agency despatch rom Paris says the French Government to-day replied to the propositions in the Anglo-German agreement regarding China. The French reply, after discussing the points of the agreement, coincides fairly with the responses made by Russia and the United States.

Troops From South Africa for China. Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN.

Dranay Oct 31 -It is reported here that the Gordon Highlanders and the Devonshire Regiment will embark at this port for China in a few Japan's Acceptance.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. BERLIN, Oct. 31 .- The newspapers here announce that Japan has unconditionally accepted the terms of the Anglo-German agreement in relation to China.

MINERS' NEW GRIEVANCE. Strike at Delaware Colliery a Protest Against "Topping."

WILKES-BARRE, Pa., Oct. \$1 .- Miners at the Delaware, Pine Ridge and Laurel Run collieries are being docked 20 and 25 per cent. since the strike ended and are demanding that the practice end at once. The men at the Delaware mine went on strike this morning; the

others are expected to follow to-morrow The bosses say that since the men returned to work they have not obeyed the rule for topping, which requires six inches above the rim of the car and that they are compelled to dock heavily to trake up for the deficiency. A great deal of trouble is feared over this ques-tion, as the men declare the six-inch topping The Red Ash and Lehigh Valley Coal Company collieries will resume work to-morrow. Owing to the accidents of the last three days great care has been taken to have the mines thoroughly ventilated and all gas cleared away which had gathered during the strike. HAZLETON, Pa., Oct. 31—All the collieries in the Hazleton region, with the exception of those belonging to the Lehigh and Wilkes-Barre Coal Company, four collieries of Coxe Bros & Co., and the Milnesville colliery of the estate of A. S. Van Wickle, were in operation to-day. The trouble at the Coxe collieries is slight and will be adjusted to-morrow. The Lehigh and Wilkes-Barre would have resumed to-morrow except that it is a holiday generally observed by Catholics, and operations will be taken up Friday. Milnesville, which the operators had almost determined to abandon, will resume operations to-morrow also At the Lattimer colliery of C Pardee & Co. all difficulties between the firm and the men have been adjusted and it was operated full handed to-day.

President Mitchell of the Mine Workers re-

orday.

President Mitchell of the Mine Workers re-turned here from Scranton this evening, but remained only long enough to attend and address a meeting of mine workers at Macadoo and leave on the 205 o'clock train for New North

On Saturday there will be a great meeting of miners at St Clair, at the grave of Joh' Siney, he labor leader, when President Mitchell and thers will speak.

Two Miners Instantly Killed.

WILKES-BARRE, Pa., Oct. 31.-William Shepard and his stepson, Levi Conners, of Mill Creek, were instantly killed this afternoon by a rush of coal at the Pine Ridge colliery of the Algonquin Coal Company near Miner's Mills.
The men were at work on a piliar and were at the bottom of the pit h, when the pillar fell out upon them and buried them beneath a mass of the pit h, when the pillar fell out upon them and buried them beneath a mass of the pit h, when the pillar fell out upon them and buried them beneath a mass of the pillar fell out the pit h, when the pillar fell out t

NOMINATIONS IN CANADA.

BITTER CONTESTS IN ALMOST ALL OF THE DISTRICTS.

terday-Elections to the House on Nov. 7
-Support of England in South Africa One Issue-Trade With This Country Another. TORONTO, Ont., Oct. 31.-The whole of Canada from Prince Edward Island, on the Atlantic, to the Yukon territory, on the west, was in a whirl of political excitement to-day The last day of October was the date fixed for the nomination of candidates for the Ninth Parliament of the Canadian House of Commons to be voted for on Nov 7. It was thought that, as usual, many members would be returned by acclamation in the constituencies that have long been considered as impregnable strongholds of the Liberal or Conservative parties. But in nearly all of the 213 constituencies there will be contests between the two great parties in Canada, and in a few there are third candidates running as independents or labor party representatives.

The contest now on between the Liberals and Conservatives is being more strenuously contested than any previous election held in the Dominion. The number of labor candidates pominated was less than half a dozen, including two in Toronto, one in Winnipeg and one in

THE REAL SENTIMENT OF CUBA. The Military Governor of Cuba Describes It as Grateful to Us.

Major-Gen Leonard Wood, in the Independent. The meeting of the Constitutional Convention on Nov. 5 will be an event in Cuban history of the greatest importance, and much will depend upon the action and outcome of this onvention as to our future control of the island Prediction as to when the United States can relinquish control will be much easier after the delegates have met and adopted some form of constitution. The convention is entirely a Cuban affair, and the Cuban delegates have managed it without any outside

in respect to it. I have, &c., JOHN HAY."
A similar note was addressed on the same day by the Secretary of State to the Imperial German Chargé d'Affaires.

MISSIONARIES MAY RETURN.

State Department's Reply Explains Present Conditions in China.

The Rev. A. M. Cunningham and his wife, formerly missionaries at Pekin, recently applied to the Presbyterian Board of Foreign Missions for permission to return to their post, and asked if, in the judgment of the board, the United States authorities would interpose any objection to their return. In answer to an inquiry upon this latter point the Rev. Arthur J. Brown, one of the secretaries of the board, received the following letter yesterday from Assistant Secretary of State David J. Hill:

"The conditions governing access of foreigners to the non-treaty towns of the interior, including Pekin, and their security there will necessarily be considered in the negotiations for a definite settlement between China and the Powers. While it would be premature to open an access to the Chinese interior for our citizens engaged in commercial or professional purely and conceived, it is impossible to doubt never have conceived.

hypocritical deference. When everywhere there are manifestations which surprise by their unexpectedness, warm outpourings of interest and gratitude which deference could never have conceived, it is impossible to doubt either the genuineness or the intensity of the amity toward this country that prevails throughout the length and breadth of Cuba. My observations are strengthened by the concensus of opinion of other Americans who are in a position to know. The cordial and hearty cooperation and association of Cubans and Americans are indications of the true state of affairs.

It is deplorable that total misapprehensions of the Finited States should be spread abroad in the country that has done so much for the island at her very gates. The propagation of such errors of sentiment and statement, which bear positively no relations whatever to the facts, must produce unfortunate effects. I could not well conceive how the Cubans could be otherwise than grateful to the United States for its efforts in their behalf. The reconstruction of the island has proceeded rapidly from the first, and I think the transformation is without any superior in the history of modern times. The devastation of the long war had left the island in an unparalleled condition when the United States interfered, and in the brief time since the occupation of the Island by American troops the island has been completely rehabilitated—agriculturally, commercially, financially, educationally and governmentally. This improvement has been so ravid and so apparent that no Cuban could mistake it. To doubt in the face of these facts that their liberators were not still their faithful friends would be impossible to the honest and intelligent inhabitants of the island.

As I have said, the Constitutional Convention forms an important epoch in the history of Cuba, and the constitution they finally accept will be entirely of their own making. There has been no draft of a constitution offered for consideration by any one authorized to represent the United States lity for the important work they have ahead

Discharged Soldier Killed by Train. John Shaw, 21 years old, a soldier who was discharged from Fort Sleeum last Friday, was killed by a freight train in the Lehigh Valley Railroad yards, Jersey City, last night. He lived at Ithaca, N. Y.



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AMBROSE M. M'GREGOR DEAD. Ulcerated Tooth Causes the Death of Ohio

Standard Oil President. Ambrose Morrison McGregor, President of the Standard Oil Company of Ohio, and one of the largest stockholders and a director of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, bominated was less than half a dozen, including two in Toronto, one in Winnipeg and one in British Columbia. There were more independent candidates nominated than for previous elections, this being due partly to the fact that some former supporters of the Liberal Government are now opposing their party on account of their failure to lower duties and permit of first failure to lower duties and permit of first trade intercourse with the United States.

I'we members, so far as heard from, were returned by acciannation. They are J. E. Seagram, Conservative, a millionaire whiskey distiller and owner of racelorses, of Waterloo, Ontario, and Mr. Lavergre, Laberal, of Drumsmond county, Province of Quebec. Sir Wilfrid Laurier and all the Cabinet Ministers are meeting fight will be in St. John, New Brunswick, between the Hon, A. G. Blair, present Minister of Railways and Canals, and the Hon, G. E. Foster, Minister of Finance in the late Sir John MacDonald's Cabinet Louis J. Prechete, a celebrated French-Canadian poet and once poet laureate of the French Academy at Paris, was noninated by the Conservatives in Meganitic county, Province of Quebes.

The present contest, wime lacking in great issues, is one of the bitterest and most generally disagreeable ever experienced in Canada, Both Liberals and Conservatives for the first thue in their history, are supporting a protective tariff or, to quote Goldwin Smith, they are both trying to crowde each other off the same platform.

The French Conservatives are attacking the Liberals because they sent troops to the Transval were pioneers of the Western Reserve, and were larger than the decided of the company for many years and he was also addreted in the company for many years and he was also addreted in many yea which is now the main Standard Oil Company,

they were not prompt enough in sending the troops to South Africa. The Government is charged with the sale of Senatorships, which the Liberals deny, and attempts have been made to raise again the school cry.

There has been very little betting on the general result. Present prospects point to the Government being sustained by a majority of 20 to 25.

I many years and he was also a director in that of the subsidiary Standard Oil corporations. Mr. McGregor was Vice-President of the Solar Refining Company of Lima, Ohio, and was a director in the Chesebrough Manufacturing Company of this city. His business interests never went outside of the Standard Oil Company and the petroleum industry with the exception of some Florida investments. Like Henry M. Flagler of the Standard Oil Company, he was much interested in the de-Like Henry M. Flagler of the Standard Off Company, he was much interested in the de-velopment of Florida and he owned a large orange grove and a beautiful home at Fort Myers, Fla. He was a member of the St. Andrew's Society, the Metropolitan Museum of Art and the American Museum of Natural History His charities were numerous. His widow and a son, Bradford B. McGregor, survive him. The interment will be in Lake View Cemetery, Cleveland, on Saturday morn-ing.

> SARAH ANTHONY BURTIS'S DEATH. One of the Original Woman Suffragists and the Schoolteacher of Susan B. Anthony. ROCHESTER, Oct. 31.-The funeral of Sarah Anthony Burtis, the well-known woman suffragist, who died yesterday, will take place from the home of her daughter, with whom she lived will be taken to Buffalo for cremation. Mrs. Burtis was 90 years of age. She was born in Saratoga. Her father, Daniel Anthony, was a ousin of Daniel Anthony of Washington county

who was the father of Susan B. Anthony. Mrs. Burtis received in her girlhood what was ar excellent education for a young woman of tha period. She married in 1839 Louis Burtis of Saratoga, who was also of the Quaker faith, and in the same autumn they came to Rochester making the journey by canal. They were four days en route. They took up their resi jence on Spring street. Early in her life Mrs. Burtis be came interested in the slavery question and was an ardent abolitionist. Ather home Mrs. Burtis entertained William Lloyd Garrison, Wendeil Philips, Frederick Douglass, Oliver Johnson, members of the Hutchinson family and other noted reformers of that time.

Mrs. Burtis was in 1835 the schoolteacher of Susan B. Anthony. How they may have influenced each other s lives it would be difficult to determine. But when the first suffrage meeting was held in Rochester in 1848, Mrs. Burtis acted as secretary. She was not the regularly elected secretary, but was chosen for the place, when it was found that the tim drity of the regularly elected secretary was so great that she was unable to make her voice heard in the hall. Since that time Mrs. Burtis has been actively interested in woman suffrage. an ardent abolitionist. At her home Mrs. Burtis

has been actively interested in woman sur-frage.

Mrs. Burtis was the first woman clerk in a store in this city. In 1854, after many appli-cations to local merchants, she was engaged by Mr. White to act as saleswoman in his store on the Moin street bridge. In taking this place she was subjected to the ridicule of the populace, but she plackliv held to her work, because it was stipulated that the place was given her only to see if a woman could do such work. At the end of the year Mr. White gave all of the clerkships in his store to women. In 1848 Mrs. Burtis was attracted by the demon-strations of the Fox sisters. She became interested in them and was an ardent spirit-ualist to the bour of her death.

strations of the Fox sister interested in them and was ualist to the hour of her death. Octavio Knauth, a member of the banking firm of Knauth, Nachod & Kühne of this city and Leipzig, Germany, being temporarily

and Leipzig. Germany, being temporarily in this country on a visit to his relatives here, died yesterday at the residence of his sisterin-law, Mrs Percival Knauth, 302 West Seventy-sixth street, after a short illness. He was formerly a resident of this city, but for the last ten years of his life had preferred to reside in Germany on account of his health He was born in Zurich, Switzerland, on July 20, 1857, and was educated at Leipzig, where after finishing his studies, he entered the banking firm, founded by his father, Theodor Knauth, and thereafter for a number of years he was one of its representatives in New York Heleaves a widow, nee Morhard of Zurich, and a daughter. The remains will be sent to his family for interment at Leipzig.

Lucius D Davis, editor of the Daily Neve of Newport, R I, died last evening of progressive paralysis. He had been connected with the News for thirty-four years as editor and proprietor. He was born Jan 21, 1825, in New York State and was for about twenty years a minister of the Methodist Episcopal Church, serving many important charges in the Oneda and New England Southern conferences.

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Peter A. Hepburn, formerly a member of the firm of Bradish Johnson & Sons, whole-sale sugar refiners, died on Tuesday at his home, 26 McDonough street, Brooklyn, in his seventy-eighth year. He leaves a widow, a son and a daughter.

WAR ON RAINES LAW HOTELS. Col. Rodgers Is After Dives Frequented by

Col. John I. Rodzers, commandant at Fort Hamilton, has declared war on the Raines law hotels in the vicinity of the reservation. "Some time ago I called on the police captain at the time ago I called on the police captain at the Eighty-sixth street station," said Col. & deers to a SUN reporter yesterday, "and asked him to take some steps to close these piaces. As yet nothing has ocen done. I also circulated a petition among the property owners asking the authorities to close up the dance halls, but could not get one-third of them to sign. I found that the owner of the property on which one of the most notorious of these divises stands is a worker in the Young Women's Temperance Union. How can one do anything against such odds?"

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The Colonel has determined to close them up if it is possible, and hopes to do so by keeting his men away from them. All the induce-The Colonel has determined to close them up if it is possible, and hopes to do so by keeting his men away from them. All the inducements possible to use the camean rather than the out-ide places will be held out to the men. A citizen said yesterday. The soldiers from the fort spend all their morey in these places and are often in delat for their month's ray when it comes to them. Caps, gloves, and even shoes are sold within twenty-four hours of their receipt from the Quartermaster. The money is used for drink or cambing in these saloons.

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ESCRAP OVER A PUSHED LADDER. Rahway Electric Power Co.'s Supt. Arrested for Assault on Col. J. Blanchard Edgar.

RAHWAY, N. J., Oct. 31. Supt. Albert Buys

of the Rahway Electric Power Company was

arrested yesterday on a charge of felonious

DECEIVED HUSBAND But He Seems to Like It.

"We used to buy our coffee from an agent of son and a daughter.

John C. Day of the jewelry manufacturing firm of Day, Clark & Co. of Newark died in that city on Tuesday night. He was 57 years old and was born at New Providence, Union county. He is survived by a widow, one son and three daughters. a coffee house in ---, who came once a month

"One time I concluded to serve some Postum Food Coffee, without his knowing it. Hubby remarked that he was glad to know the regular coffee man had got along and he was very much pleased. He had not the slightest idea it was Postum, and I let this run along for about two months, serving him Postum every day. A lady guest at our table remarked that she